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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Case No. 02-076)

In the Application of:	)	
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Elliott, et al.	)	Before the Examiner:
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Serial No. 10/076,260	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: 1646
Filed: February 14, 2002	)	
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For: G-Protein Coupled Receptor	)	Confirmation No.: 9883
Molecules and Uses Thereof	)	

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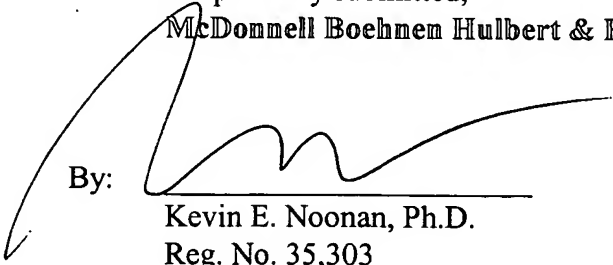
Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed April 9, 2002, Applicants submit herewith an executed copy of their Declaration, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.63 and 1.68.

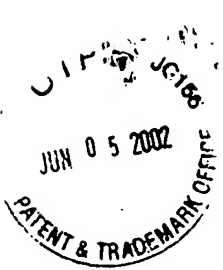
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Respectfully submitted,  
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In regard to the above-identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached
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  - b. Executed copy of Oath or Declaration
  - c. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
  - d. Return Receipt Postcard
2. With respect to additional fees:
  - a. An additional fee of \$130.00 is required.
3. A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed.
4. Please charge any deficiency in the amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-2490. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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